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Environmental Awareness Training

Regulatory Overview

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Regulatory Overview

Army Regulations

- Environmental Protection and Enhancement (AR 200-1)
- Environmental Analysis of Army Action (AR 200-2)
- Land, Forest and Wildlife Management (AR 200-3)



Army Regulations: AR 200-1

Environmental Protection and Enhancement

- Defines environmental program objectives and assigns management responsibilities.
- Requires the appointment of a trained Environmental Compliance Officers.



Army Regulations: AR 200-2 Environmental Analysis of Army Action

- Integrates environmental considerations into Army planning and decision making.
- Defines the decision making process in accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA).



Regulations: AR 200-2 (Continued)

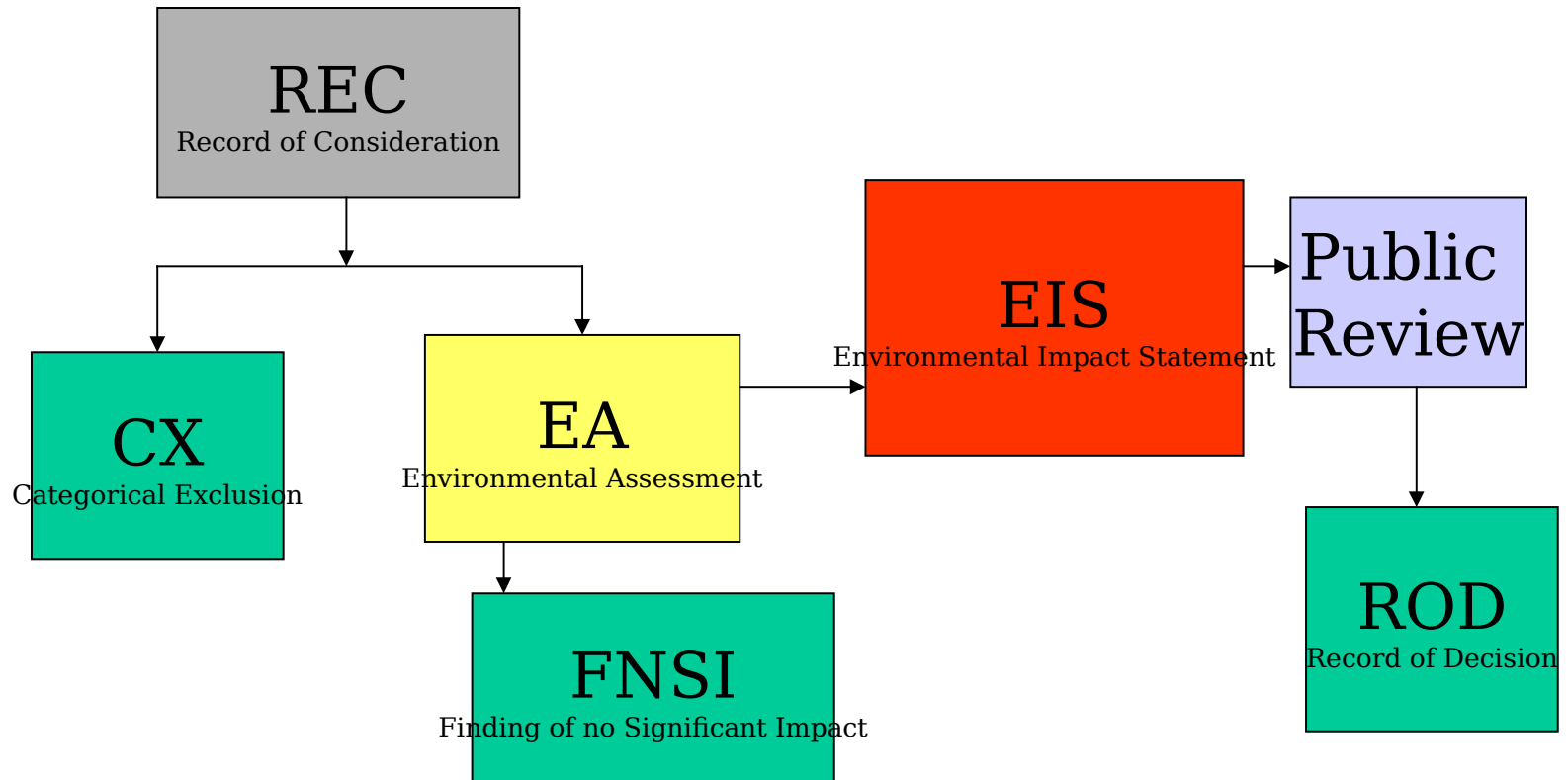
- Record Of Environmental Consideration (REC)
Determines if a project requires an EA or a CX.
- Categorical Exclusion (CX) can be used for routine projects with little effect on the environment.
- Environmental Assessment (EA) is an extensive review to determine if a project will create significant environmental impacts.
- EA can lead to Finding of No Significant Impact (FNSI) or a more comprehensive assessment of environmental impacts in form of an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) and public review process.



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NEPA Process Required by AR 200-2





Army Regulations: AR 200-3 Land, Forest and Wildlife Management

- Regulates issues as related to conservation management, and restoration.
- Conforms to Federal land, forest and wildlife management laws and policies.



Waste Overview at USAMRMC

- Hazardous Waste
- Medical Waste
- Recyclable Material
- Spills



Hazardous Waste

- If you generate, handle, store, or report on Hazardous Waste, contact the Command POC on this slide to learn more about the USAMRMC Requirements.

- POC: _____
- Phone Number: _____
- Address: _____



Medical Waste

- Contact your Command POC on this slide for operational and reporting procedures.

- POC: _____
- Phone Number: _____
- Address: _____



Recyclable Material

Recyclable Materials include:

- Paper products (Newspapers, cardboard boxes, bags, printing paper...)
- Glass
- Aluminum or steel cans
- Plastic items marked as recyclable
- Some (not all) Batteries are recyclable

Also, unused equipment, supplies and machinery can be recycled.
Check with the POC, provided on this slide, to learn how.

- POC: _____
- Phone Number: ()- -
- _____
- Address: _____



Spill Reporting

- Discharges of Oil or any Hazardous Material into a water source (storm drains, lakes, ponds, rivers...), Must be reported immediately to the Fire and Emergency Services
- Report all spills to the Command POC on this slide

- POC: _____
- Phone Number: _____
- Address: _____
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